

# COLEMAN

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Meets 2nd and 4th  
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**Coleman Lodge No. 35** meets every Monday  
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## COLEMAN PEBBLES

**Happenings of Interest in and**  
**Around this Bustling Town.**  
**You are Talked About**

H. N. Galer was a visitor to Coleman on Monday.  
School will start again next Monday, so boys and girls, don't forget.  
Rev. J. Sergeant, pastor of the Baptist church, will preach next Sunday in I.O.O.F. hall, at 3:30 o'clock.

The Coleman Hardware Co. are building a ware house next to the store. This is intended to store the large stock of ware house goods.

The ladies aid of the Institutional church will give an ice cream social in the club room on Friday evening, 31st. Come and cool off.

Rev. T. M. Murray will exchange services with Mr. J. Sergeant at Claresholm, on Sunday next. Mr. Murray will preach at Coleman.

**INSTITUTIONAL CHURCH**—Pastor, Rev. T. M. Murray. Services: Sabbath 11 a.m. 7:30 p.m. Sabbath school and Bible class, 2:30. Christian Endeavor, Wednesday 8 p.m.

Wm. Haley of the Coleman livery has added three new carriages to his outfit. People can now be assured of a comfortable ride with reliable horses and clean rigs.

The Rev. Mr. Mowatt of Lundbreck, spent Monday with the Rev. C. Hepworth. They two gentlemen, who are college chums in Oxford, and they were glad to see one another.

Mrs. Jobbitt, school teacher, returned on Tuesday morning from Lindsay, Ont., where she has been spending the holidays. Mrs. Jobbitt was accompanied by her father, Mr. J. Lamm.

Saturday last was pay day, and the largest amount of money paid out by the bank of any pay day in the history of Coleman. The town was very quiet and orderly, not one man being put in the "jug" for drunkenness.

**FOR SALE**—A cottage beautifully situated, comfortable and located in the residential portion of Coleman. A cash cash proposition. Easy terms will be given. S. Charles Brooks, "The Cotton Woods," Brook street, Merritt, Victoria, B.C.

A grand masquerade ball will be held on Monday evening, September 7th, Labor Day. The ball will be held at the auspices of the Miners' Union, which in itself will be an assurance of a good time. Refreshments will be served.

The ball held on Monday evening was a success as far as the management was concerned, but the pumbers were not so successful in evidence. When Coleman has such a ball everyone should take advantage of it and attend these pleasant dances.

Miss M. B. Robertson, who has been visiting Mrs. D. James for the past week, returned to Nelson, B. C., on Wednesday morning. Dame Rumor has been telling that Miss Robertson is shortly to become the bride of one of Coleman's popular young sports.

600 extra copies of the leading paper in the Crow's Nest Pass, the Coleman "Miner," were issued last week. If your advertisement, Mr. Reader, was in the paper of the metropolis of the Pass, you would have received the extra advertisement if you want results, advertise in the "Miner."

Messrs. Harry Clayton and A. M. Morrison have taken the vacant building on the corner in front of the Coleman Hardware Co.'s store, and it is being fitted for a pool and billiard room. They have a stock of the best brands of cigars, tobaccos, etc., and should do a fair business, as they are both popular in town.

On Wednesday the Sunday school of the Institutional church held their picnic on the hill behind the town. The children had the time of their lives and indulged in games, races, etc., the winners of the races receiving prizes. A large number attended, and all thoroughly enjoyed a most profitable outing. Splendid refreshments were served by the ladies, to which the children did justice.

St. Alban's church held a Sunday school picnic up the river at a pretty spot on Wednesday afternoon. Upwards of one hundred children and their friends and parents were present. The children enjoyed themselves to their hearts' content, and with the aid of the group, people, enjoyed a splendid supper. If more of these picnics were held it would be good for the Sunday schools and churches.

Considerable dissatisfaction has been caused in this district by a real estate man not giving a title to the lots he is selling, although all the money has been paid to him by purchasers, and he has promised time and again to hand over the transfer of the property. These looks as if legal action will be taken to compel the transfer to be forthcoming. The promises of the real estate man referred to are like the proverbial cross made to be broken. When a man does business in this manner, it hurts the man who wants to do the square thing.

Much interest is being aroused in this district by the rapid progress being made in construction of the railway spur, five and a half miles in length, to connect the workings of the Royal Collieries with the main line of the C. P.R. into Lethbridge. Some delays were occasioned by difficulties in securing certain portions of the right-of-way, but these have now all been settled. It is understood that the spur will be in operation by October, to enable the coal company to handle the increased business which they have been busily developing this summer. Lethbridge Herald.

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## DERBYSHIRE-JONES

On Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at St. Alban's church, George, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Derbyshire, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Frances Mary Jones. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles Hepworth in the presence of a few relatives and friends of the groom. Miss Jones arrived from England on the morning train, Mr. Derbyshire going to Macleod to meet her. It is another of those cases seen so often in western Canada, where the young man comes to this new country after a while the sweetheart arrives in a wedding and the young man is a steady young man and just the kind wanted in this country. The happy couple will reside in Coleman, and have the hearty congratulations of a large number of friends who wish them happiness along the troublesome path of life. In the evening a large number of friends assembled at the home and had a roving good time singing and otherwise enjoying themselves. About midnight all dispersed their homes having thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

## I.O.O.F. GRAND LODGE

The meeting of the grand lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was held at Calgary last week, and proved a very successful and profitable affair to the order. Calgary was alive with Odd Fellows for several days. The Rebekahs were there in full force, and did themselves grand. J. O. C. McDonald was the representative from Coleman Lodge. The list of new officers is as follows:

J. W. Mitchell, P.G., Calgary, grand master. V. C. French, P.G., Wetaskiwin, deputy grand master. W. G. Shera, P.G., Fort Saskatchewan, grand warden. O. E. Tisdale, P.G., Calgary, grand secretary. H. J. Adams, P.G., Calgary, grand treasurer. E. Forster Brown, P.G.M., grand representative to S.G.L. The district deputy grand masters and other appointed officers appointed by Grand Master Mitchell are:

Grand Marshal, E. J. Flamm, Steath. Jones. Grand Condottieri, T. H. Stron. Pincher. Grand Herald, G. F. Carson, Ponoka. Grand Guardian, R. F. Earl, Oide. Grand Chaplain, Rev. W. G. Fortune, Red Deer.

Retiring Grand Master Brown was presented with a handsome past grand master's collar by Representative Tuttle, of Mountain View Lodge, No. 1, Macleod, as a slight token of esteem from members of his own lodge. A suitable reply was made.

**DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS**  
District No. 1, A. Brown, Edmonton. District 2, S. A. Dixon, Fort Saskatchewan. District 3, C. E. Slater, Vermilion. District 4, J. W. Thomas, Wapaskia. District 5, W. R. Carr, Wright. District 6, A. Hill, Red Deer. District 7, W. R. Wilson, Innisfail. District 8, W. G. Liesemer, Hildesbury. District 9, W. Hazen, Carstairs. District 10, G. Brewer, Calgary. District 11, W. J. Scarn, Bankhead. District 12, S. A. Appleby, District 13, T. F. Frank, Slavey. District 14, A. Wyllie, Claresholm. District 15, H. Bates, Macleod. District 16, C. V. Bennett, Lethbridge. District 17, A. R. Dempster, Pincher. District 18, J. O. C. McDonald, Coleman. District 19, T. Blatchford, Medicine Hat. District 20, R. D. Fleming, Camrose. District 21, R. F. Sander.

The "Western Canada Odd Fellow" of Winnipeg, was unanimously adopted as the official organ of this grand lodge.

**WILL BE AT COLEMAN**

Richard & Pringle's Famous Minstrels have probably made more people laugh than all the other minstrel shows combined during the twenty-nine years of their existence, they have appeared in every country where the English tongue is spoken. They are genuine Ethiopians, and their singing and dancing are such as only the real darkey is capable of. They have the strongest company this season that has ever appeared under the well known Richard & Pringle's name. The big street parade will take place as usual at noon. The date of their appearance at the Coleman Opera House is Tuesday, August 25th.

## COLEMAN CARRIAGE WORKS

Messrs. E. Spry and S. E. Knowles have entered into partnership and have taken over the blacksmith shop of W. J. Sandridge. Mr. Spry, who came here from Toronto about five months ago, and who, for a number of years, was horse shod for the Toronto Foundry Co., is a man of experience in the blacksmith line and understands his business thoroughly, as evidence of the work he is doing around town. Mr. Knowles is a practical carriage builder and will look after the wood working department of the firm. They have taken the agency of the famous and trusted Fairchild and Moline buggies, wagons, carts, sleighs, etc., and have a stock at their ware rooms. They have also in stock a line of hard wood for repairing carriages, buggies, wagons, tongues, double trees, and anything in the line their work will be done in the most gentlemanly and reliable manner. If you have a buggy or a wagon, you can rely on having a good job done. Mr. Knowles is improving according to reports.

J. D. S. Barrett of Nelson, B.C., has accepted a position as journeyman printer on the staff of the "Miner."

Dr. Forbes of Macleod, died on Saturday last. He was 35 years of age, and leaves a widow and several children.

Fire was put into the new coke ovens on Thursday morning for the first time. In about three weeks the forty new ovens will be ready to burn coke. Manager Laird is elated over this good news.

Messrs. S. M. Hartnott of Calgary, and E. Culver of Blairmore, the noted real estate men, have been hustling business around here the past few days.

Don Clark, one of the most enthusiastic base ball players in the Pass, and a member of the Coleman team, went to Lethbridge last week, to join the staff of the Royal Collieries, Limited.

R. P. Pettipiece of Vancouver, western organizer of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, gave an interesting address in the Miners' hall on Wednesday evening. The audience was very small, owing, no doubt, to the inefficient advertising of the meeting.

Rev. W. G. W. Fortune, field secretary of Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League, conducted the service in the Institutional church on Sunday evening. His text was: Daniel 2, 10, 12. He gave courage and let us play the man for our people and the cities of our God, and the Lord do that which seemeth Him good."

Mr. Fortune's discourse was appreciated, and the large congregation learned something to their benefit by the visit of the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Machin and their two boys, Willie and Carlyle, left on Sunday morning for Spokane. It is their intention to spend a few months visiting in different parts of the western States, then finally return east to Ponderosa to live.

Departure will be regretted by a large number of friends. Mr. Machin came to Coleman in the autumn of 1905, and showed his confidence in the town by building a home here on third street. Business and other considerations make it necessary to return east. They are followed by the Miners' best wishes.

At the regular meeting of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows on Monday evening, J. O. C. McDonald, representative of the Grand Lodge gave his report and those who were not present missed a very interesting and masterly report. Past Grand, Bro. O. H. Dingman, gave the Lodge an interesting account of his experiences of Odd Fellowship, and congratulated the Lodge on its efficiency in the work. Past Grand Bro. V. G. W. Fortune, also gave an address and told the members of his mission in Coleman. Mr. Fortune urged upon the brethren the necessity of being true to Odd Fellowship, by living up to the obligation.

**HILLCREST HUMMINGBIRDS**  
Mr. Hill visited Fernie on Wednesday. T. H. Williams, superintendent at the mines, unfortunately lost a house in the Fernie fire.

During the car shortage of the last few days quite a number have been putting in the time fishing.

C. H. Colgrove, mining engineer of Spokane, has accepted a position with the Hillcrest Coal & Coke Co.

Miss Maggie Roughhead has come to the Windsor hotel for a short time.

Miss J. M. McLenahan, of Innisfail, Alberta, has been spending a few days in Hillcrest visiting her brother, J. A. McLenahan.

George Roughhead is laid up with what appears to be blood poisoning in his foot, but under the doctor's care is progressing favorably.

Speaking of fishing, here is a true story. Arthur Beagan went fishing in the slide and landed one of the largest beauties that has been caught in the Pass. The fish measured thirty inches in length and weighed nearly eight pounds.

**EDMONTON STREET CARS**  
The first contract in connection with the street car system was let by the awarding of the motors, etc., to the Canadian General Electric Co., of Edmonton, and the cars themselves to the Ottawa Car works. The new cars will be built equipped. Seven will cost 4000 each, and the balance for the motor equipment and one for use in Strohmann alone will cost 32 persons, and have two motor equipments and single trucks.

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Carnation Wheat Flakes 50c  
Orange Meal 15c  
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Grape Nuts 25c  
Malt Vite 25c  
B & K Wheat Flakes 25c  
Rolled Oats, 5 lb sack 15c  
Quaker Oats, 5 lb sack 15c  
Of China 25c  
Rolled Oats, 40 lb sack 2.00  
Rye Flour, 10 lb 50c  
Buck Wheat Flour, 10 lb 50c  
Whole Wheat Flour, 6 lb 35c  
Corn Meal, "yellow," 10 lb 40c  
Corn Meal, "yellow," 40 lb 1.75  
Five Roses Flour, 98 lb 3.75  
Five Roses Flour, 40 lb 1.00  
Calgary Hungarian Patent Flour, 98 lb 3.75  
Calgary Hungarian Patent Flour, 40 lb 1.00  
Wheat, sound and clean 2.00  
100 lb 1.50  
Bran, 100 lb 1.50  
Shorts, 100 lb 1.00

**IN OUR Furnishing Department**  
we are showing a good assortment of the following goods:  
**IRON BEDS**—3 feet—3.6-4 and 4.6  
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Woven Wire Cots and Roll Ups  
White and Grey Wool Blankets  
White and Grey Shaker Blankets  
White Twill Cotton Sheets  
White and Colored Quilts  
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Pillow Cases  
Toilet Sets—10 pieces  
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25 Per Cent Discount for the balance of this month

Our Four Day Sale was most successful and many pleased customers reaped the benefit of the big discount offered. To clean out all our whitewear we will give this same discount—25 per cent—for remainder of August. Get busy.

## The Coleman Mercantile Co.

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## Practical Suggestions for the American Abroad

THE United States is known as a country of travelers. The percentage of Americans who travel is not much more than the percentage of roaming Germans, and the Saxons are the greatest travelers in the world. One reason at a hotel at Capri there were four Americans and two hundred and fifty Germans; no other country was represented. As it happened, at the time mentioned the Kaiser himself was on the little Italian island, so that Germany must have been like an untidy land. In Venice the people speak almost as much German as Italian—in fact, throughout Europe German is as universal as French, except that the English speak only the latter language. The knowledge of German is due to the indisputable fact that a true son of Deutschland will not learn any other language. Any one who wishes to hold conversation with him will have to learn his own speech.

The touring continental, of course, can judge the climate in a neighboring country and can carry a change of costume accordingly, but when the American goes abroad, particularly the American woman, she enters into a new world, whose climate, customs and manners are unfamiliar. The ignorance accounts for the innumerable tourists who invade Europe clad in a dark short skirt, white shirtwaist with a stiff collar and tie, sailor hat, cotton gloves and trailing, graceless, green chiffon veil. It has been called a national uniform, and it is also an international joke. The nations of the continent have one, and only one, bond of sympathy, their contempt for the American and their desire for his gold. Some Americans are delighted that their customs and manners—absence of manners—leave no doubt of their individuality. Certainly be patriotic, but do not brand yourself as a member of the most undesirable class of Americans. It is possible to be an inhabitant of the United States and yet be contented appropriately and quietly. It is possible to look well at all times and be comfortable without wearing a seraglio, unbecoming veil, and this season one may wear a waist that matches the skirt, which is a style quite inconspicuous.

It is difficult for the woman who has never traveled to judge just what is best to take abroad, and a few suggestions may be helpful and acceptable. In the first place, bear in mind that the steamship companies will take any reasonable amount of baggage, but, on landing on the continent, every piece must be weighed and paid for unless carried by hand, so it is well to economize in the amount of luggage whenever possible.

For the ocean trip a steamer rug, a pillow, warm clothing and a small hat are necessary. The last-named article need not be an unbecoming cap, but a small toque that allows the wearer to lie back comfortably in the steamer chair. On landing these things are no longer necessary, so it is well to store them, and the steamer rug is no longer necessary, so it is well to store it. Then it is very easy and inexpensive to purchase a light "box" they may be

carried by a porter or two, for you may pile your compartments full of luggage, and it will cost nothing, while the size of the box matters not, for you never carry your own baggage, if you have a 5-cent piece in your pocket to pay the porter.

In this box pack the land clothing, which should consist of several dark suits, a few gingham or lawn dresses, with white removable gumples, the underwear necessary, shoes and a pretty gown that you do to wear to dinner at hotel. If the stops are not to be long, one dress of the sort is sufficient. You need also a hat—plain, but becoming and not too large—your suit and a long cloth coat. These clothes will suffice for a ten-week trip, and at no time will the traveler feel herself odd or out of place. White waists are unsatisfactory and they soil quickly, while the gingham dresses will be cool and more comfortable. The little gumples are easy to keep clean and neat. The coat will serve to protect the owner from cold and rain on land and sea.

In summer the beaten track for travelers is warm. Amsterdam, the point farthest north where tourists go, is very hot in July and August, though the Zuyder Zee is very cold. The Hague is warm; Ostend is warm during the day and cool at night. Brussels and Paris are fiery hot, while Switzerland is warm in the sunshine and quite cool at night. The temperature depends on the altitude. Going east, Berlin and Venice are very warm, though the country places in the vicinity may be cool and pleasant. Tourists seldom visit Italy in summer, though Venice is very comfortable in June, and not unbearable in July. Of course, the evenings are always cool.

The tourist who wears her cloth suit on all occasions and carries a suit case finds that her coat is unnecessary, while her suit case is too heavy and holds nothing. The continentals laugh at such articles of baggage, because they know they are built for rough handling, while the lightest box is sufficient abroad. If the tourist wishes to add to her belongings in Paris, another box may be procured there and the contents of both packed in the trunk for the return trip, while the steamer clothes may be placed in the box, which can be used in the cabin. Of course, the boxes will not stand the weight of other things in the hold.

A cloth suit is not an absolute necessity if the long coat is always at hand. Only a hat is sufficient, but let that one be really good.

She who follows these suggestions will find that she has saved on laundry bills and the wear and tear of her clothes enough to purchase a pretty dress in Paris; she has also preserved her self-respect.

As to lingerie, what better opportunity could there be to wear out the very oldest things on the steamer? When sold it may be thrown away, thus saving washing, while new and charming things may be bought at the same time. This use-up old clothes, economizes in space and makes a good opportunity to invest in French lingerie.

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## Neckwear for Tailored Suits



STOCKS, collars and jabots are a matter of great importance this season, for they must be a part of every tailored suit. Furthermore, they are really interesting, for they are made in an unlimited variety of ways and designs, each of which has its own special point of beauty, becomingness and style.

The newest stocks of lace and linen are

finished at the top with the graduated ruffle, which is narrow under the chin and grows in width as it reaches the back. The next point is the black band, which is shown on all the more expensive stocks. This band is of black satin, one inch wide, with a tiny bow in the middle of the back. The only rule in making stocks is that the sewing shall be done by hand and that fine handker-

chief linen shall be used. Further than that fashion does not dictate, so anything that strikes the fancy will be quite correct.

The stock shown on the girl is a good example of top ruffle, band and jabot. The one sketched is made of sheer linen and real Valenciennes lace and is shown in a smart blouse shop in the Rue de la Paix, where the price charged is \$16. It

is easy to make, however, and, if imitation lace is used, the collar should cost not more than 18 cents.

The plain stock, with draped jabot, is also made of sheer linen, and this is finished at the bottom with a narrow black cravat with bow in front. For the jabot, a fine hemstitched handkerchief might be used, while the ruffle around the top might be made of a second one or merely of the material itself.

A stock shown on one of Drecoll's models of pique is of black satin, with a linen frill at the top. The stiff square bow is fastened in place with four gilt buttons about the size of a penny. This is an extremely new design. The collar of Valenciennes lace is really magnificent, but the jabot might be made of a lace handkerchief—really a family heirloom. This is a collar that should really be made of real lace, for chance using imitation, so, unless one can afford to use the real article, it would be wise to choose some other model.

A stock made of colored satin is edged at top and bottom with a frill of white lace bordered with black. Paquin was the originator of this idea, and it has proved very effective. The stock shown is in light blue, but any other shade or color would answer the purpose.

A collar for a tailored blouse is of hand-tucked linen; the tie at the top of the collar in this case is of brown silk, while the large tie is only of the linen. A dark line at the base of the collar is very becoming, but it is even better at the top. It makes the neck look longer and less thick, and it is so popular that now one seldom sees in Paris the embroidered linen collar which has been so much in vogue. But, after all, this is merely carrying out the idea of the strict femininity seen in all the newest styles.

collar. They are made of every material—Irish lace, linen, Persian and Hungarian embroideries, pleated ribbon, gathered silk and fancy cloth. What, indeed, may not be used to form woman's vest? Some are merely straps, so that they do not add extra warmth to the coat suit, while others are quite heavy affairs, almost resembling the minuet vests of long ago.

Butterflies for the Hair

HAIR ornaments are returning to fashion, and many of the evening gowns support huge butterfly or violet and gold. Jet insects, too, are much worn, and they add grace to a Psyche knot. Velvet ribbon is arranged in the hair with a flat bow at the side. This last is particularly used for the theater and takes the place of a hat. Then, too, many women are wearing their hair in huge buns in the back, round which quills are fastened with a bow at the top. This arrangement is far from pretty, but it has become quite popular.

## Seen in the Shops

### Rainproof Silk

A NEW material on the market is a showerproof foulard—a light silk so prepared that the sudden rainstorms will not be a bother. It is sold as a great favorite for summer clothes, for nothing is so unpleasant as having to carry an umbrella and when one can depend upon her dress resisting the soaking summer rain it will not be necessary to venture forth prepared for storm. This new material is shown in almost every color, castor brown and gray being especially good. These coats are used in the regular foulard designs. The idea is decidedly new, and in time we expect to have every dress material rainproof.

### Coats of Taffeta

BLACK taffeta coats have returned to popularity, and they are trimmed in many elaborate ways with bands of colored satin, while they are decorated round the neck with a lace collar. These coats are useful, for they are not too warm, yet they provide that finish to the costume which is necessary when driving or automobile is in order. Coats are sometimes made of gray taffeta and lined with pink liberty satin, and the innovation is becoming and most attractive. Sometimes, too, they are made of satin and lined with a soft pongee, which makes them comfortable and dressy at the same time.

### Sailors Simply Trimmed

TRAVELING hats are of a flat sailor type, trimmed simply with a bouquet of violets or cowslips or some other small flower. Sometimes they are of the strictly walking type, trimmed at the right or left side with a bow of watered ribbon. Large toques, too, are being worn, and these are adorned by a wreath of flowers round the hat. Very large sailor shapes sit well on the head and are trimmed with a huge wing or a drapery round the crown.

### Black and Tan

A VERY attractive morning suit is shown made of black and tan in light tan. It is strictly tailored and trimmed with black soutache, waist, while a sunshade made of the same material as the suit.

### Tailored Hats

MORNING hats are almost as gay as afternoon ones, although they are mostly in wide sailor shapes, with rather high crowns. They are trimmed with bands and bows of straw and gold. There are also arranged of wear, while plain hats are in favor. There are also hats of straw, which are woven in a variety of colors. These hats are combinations of green and blue and green and brown. The trimming, of course, must be in the same color. A sailor shape in gray, with a large crown, is trimmed with a fancy

bird in red and taupe. The hat is draped with pleated ribbon and a bow at the side. A hat with a bow of marabout in pink and blue. Other tailored hats are quite plain, and trimmed only with a large bow of dotted or checked ribbon. These latter are in excellent taste, and cannot possibly offend the most fastidious onlooker.

### Teagowns in Vogue

THE English custom of wearing teagowns for a semi-evening toilet has now become quite popular in this country, and there are many beautiful designs shown for use at spring houses parties or for informal dinners on summer evenings. What style could better adapt itself to this purpose than the perfect simple lines of the new clinging dresses covered with a transparent coat or tunic of lace or net? Then gold tassels are these used in the present time, and these used artistically as decorations further enrich the beautiful creation. White crepe de chine is the most inexpensive teagown that one may procure, and it needs only a little Persian embroidery to make it a garment fit for a queen.

The summer "gilt" too, will find that she can make an inexpensive and simple gown with a little good dotted swiss and some Valenciennes or cluny lace. It should, of course, be made slightly decollete, but not too much so, while the line of the neck should be softened by lace or maline. The skirt should be long and clinging. Not too long, of course, for one must be careful to have it so that it is possible to walk without tripping ungracefully over it. A very simple teagown is made of

pink mesaline, cut a la princesse, with a V-shaped opening in front at waist and skirt, filled in with tucked radium satin in a light ivory shade.

ONE of the novelties of the season is a line of linen just inside the reverse of a jacket, which gives it a clean and neat appearance that nothing else so small could possibly do. This is really a very good idea, and one that may be carried out in many attractive ways. For instance, if one's suit were a plain black and it looked too dark for the season, one might easily add a little line of cerise or magenta, which would brighten the whole and take away that mourning look to which so many people are object. Linen bands are especially used on suits for girls between 12 and 15 years.

Waiscoats for Men

MASCULINE attire seems to be approximating more and more the silks and satins of many years ago, when men wore wigs and ruffles, slashed

doubts and silken hose.

The latest in the checked waistcoat of taffeta, braided at small, revers and down the front with black. These dressy affairs are quite novel. It was not so long ago when the men all wore vests to match their clothes—blues, browns and somber blacks—but now checks, plaids and stripes are in order, and the material may be silk, cloth or linen.

HATS have grown larger and larger every day until the smallest are now the size of a dollar; and who can tell how big the largest will be? These are made of every conceivable material—silver, gold, gun metal and precious stones. Every design is worn and every shape is come it

HAIR ornaments are returning to fashion, and many of the evening gowns support huge butterfly or violet and gold. Jet insects, too, are much worn, and they add grace to a Psyche knot. Velvet ribbon is arranged in the hair with a flat bow at the side. This last is particularly used for the theater and takes the place of a hat. Then, too, many women are wearing their hair in huge buns in the back, round which quills are fastened with a bow at the top. This arrangement is far from pretty, but it has become quite popular.

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## Ruffs The Latest Craze in Paris



W H O would have thought that the completion of Queen Elizabeth would possibly have any effect on the fashion of today? The Virgin Queen, by many years ago before the invention of the collar, and when women at all times wore decollete—a hard style for the queen, whose complexion was yellow, and whose neck was, to say the least, scrawny. So when she mounted the English throne she decided that it must be a poor queen who could not institute a fashion becoming to her own style. Just at that time the Dutch art of hair-dressing brought the art of starching her country, and the quick-witted queen

seized upon the idea and turned it to her advantage. Thereafter the women of Europe wore high starched ruffs of lace and linen that overtopped their heads in the back and partially hid the neck in front. This fashion held for many years, until the time of the French Revolution, when the people returned to classic styles of dress.

That was the beginning of the ruff, but what Elizabeth did 366 years ago the modern, but nevertheless powerful, Dame Fashion has done this season. Ruffs are the style. Paris is mad about them. American women are yearning for them. But, of course, not the stiff, uncomfortable things of olden times,

but the more graceful affairs of tulle or chiffon, which soften the lines of the face. Neither are they higher in the back than in the front, but they are even all around like the ruffs of Pierrot, and they fasten in the middle of the back or on the side. Every fashion paper of Paris sings the song of the ruff, and they are indeed worthy of notice.

This season's product is easy to manage, and becoming to most women—provided their necks are not too short. They are usually made so that they fasten on a narrow foundation of ribbon, and the ribbon that holds them

together is wide and soft, with large ends depending from it.

A pretty white ruff is made of knitted net with four ruffles. The tie is tied on the right side with a large taffeta bow.

Another is of liberty satin ribbon, which matches the hat with which it is worn. The one shown is of silver gray, while the hat is a gray straw, trimmed with pink and white ribbon. It would be most attractive if made of brown ribbon and worn with one of the new brown suits and a natural straw hat trimmed with a huge white egret and a few flowers.

Some of the Pierrot ruffs are fastened without laces at all, but they are not very desirable.

A very attractive ruff is made of a combination of green and black tulle. The little bit of green used gives it a sort of iridescent hue, and adds to the beauty.

Another is bound on the edge with a narrow white chiffon, and gives a line. A ruff of white chiffon is finished at the end with a sort of pleated chiffon. This is really more suitable for a light dress than it is for a strict regatta. Telling the ruff as a whole, they may be regarded as a great improvement and a great economy, for they have every virtue of the old-fashioned summer neck ruff and, at the same time, none of its disadvantages.

## Bowel Disorders

During the hot, sultry days of summer everybody is in peril. This peril creeps upon us unawares and weakens and disables us without a moment's warning. Severe stomach and bowel troubles are liable to attack at any time. Most stomach and bowel disorders can be easily eluded if taken in time. "In time" means "at once." Bowel disorders weaken the system so quickly that there is danger from the start. No ill to which human beings are subject debilitate so rapidly, and few cause greater suffering. An effective safe remedy should be kept in the house at all times. We have a few preparations which we have no hesitation in recommending.

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Adverts—Rates on application

H. S. FRENCH, Editor and Manager

Coleman, Friday, August 21, 1908

### RE-BUILDING FERNIE

From the Fernie Ledger we clip some information regarding what is new at Fernie since the big fire, and the indications are that Fernie will be re-built nearly as rapidly as she burned. In part it says: "Fernie is taking on a new lease of life. Hannum and saws are busy from sunrise to sun down and business places are coming up all over the city. The traveller or sight-seer who comes to Fernie a month or two weeks hence will not recognize the Fernie of a week ago. True, the present structures are only temporary, but in ten months time they are to give way to permanent homes of brick, stone or cement, and then we will have a greater Fernie than has been. The three local banks are already doing business as well as other mercantile establishments. All of the eleven hotels destroyed are working at new structures and in a position to handle the travelling public. Indeed the King Edward, Northern, Nanapanee and the Queen's are already opened. In fact, at present we do not know of any business man or firm who was burned out who does not intend to stay in the town and start up again. Our people have the energy, pluck and courage, amidst all these trying circumstances to admit of them standing up and sticking by the most prosperous city that British Columbia ever possessed. The future of Fernie is secure and in less than five years we will have a population of 10,000. 'A better and bigger Fernie' is the slogan."

Every business man is standing by Fernie. Every merchant sees prospects for a huge business. Every mechanic sees prospects for abundance of work, and intimate their intention of remaining loyal to the old place, and build up a new and greater Fernie.

The remarks of a Slav at Fernie after the fire indicate more than anything else the determination of its citizens to re-build. The Slav was heard to remark, speaking of his losses: "House, him burn up. My cow, she killed. My pig, him dead. My chickens, dey be killed. Take six years to get them up. All burn five minutes. G-d-d-m, I start again." He went to Coal Creek to start in the morning to build another house, to get another cow, another pig and some more chickens.

From an eye witness of the holocaust we gather a few interesting facts well worthy of mention, showing particularly the state of mind in which the citizens of Fernie were laboring.

It was stated that each passenger train stopping at Fernie had its quota of relic hunters, and the train is hardly at a standstill before a dozen or more persons are out picking up anything they can and carry it away to have something to remind themselves and others of the great fire at Fernie in 1908.

During the progress of the fire many incidents were witnessed that were, in themselves, most amusing, and caused many a broad, if very grim, smile. The excitement was of the frenzied kind. In one instance you would see a man or woman carrying a bundle of clothing to safety, so to speak, with one end, or possibly half of it all ablaze, in another a person at a water tap filling a pail, the bottom of which was full of holes, and in some cases the pails had no bottom at all. Other cases people would run from a burning building with an old chair while valuables were left behind, and in some instances large sums of money were left on the tables to burn. One man ran up stairs in a hotel, packed his suit case, carried it down and left it on the side walk to burn.

The lives of many women and children were saved by the getting into a reservoir and the men throwing water on them. The body of E. V. Lane was found on Wednesday in west Fernie in an old well where the unfortunate man had gone in hopes of being protected.

### LETTER OF THANKS

EDITOR OF THE MINER.

Sir,—Will you please heartily thank the people of Coleman, and especially the hotel management, for their sympathies and whole-hearted kindness towards the people of Michel who were housed and fed by them last week while the town of Michel was in danger of being burned. Such open-heartedness and kindness is seldom found. The people of Michel wish to most heartily thank the people of Coleman for their kindness. Signed on behalf of the residents of Michel.

SAMUEL LEE  
Michel, August 16, 1908.

## Our Business Creed

We believe in the goods we are handing out in the firm we are building up and in our ability to get results. We believe that honest goods can be passed out to honest people by honest methods. We believe in working not weeping, not knocking, and in the pleasure of our work. We believe that a man can reasonably expect to get what he goes after; that one need not be worth two planned for by nature. We believe there is something doing somewhere for every man ready to do it. We believe we're ready right now.

**Alex. Cameron**  
Watchmaker, Optician  
and Issuer of Marriage Licenses

### LIBERALS IN SASKATCHEWAN

The Scott government has been returned to power in Saskatchewan, as the result of the elections last Friday. The figures are Liberals, 29; Provincial Rights, 14; one election to be held.

This is the latest summary of the Saskatchewan elections. Late returns have removed the uncertainty in many cases, and has improved the standing of the Scott government. Following is the revised list:

**LIBERALS**  
Athabasca: Scott, 90 majority.  
Cannington: Stewart, 200 majority.  
Canora: Robertson, 25 majority.  
Duck Lake: Turgeon, 150 majority.  
Estevan: Bell, 300 majority.  
Hanley: McNeil, 50 majority.  
Humboldt: Neely, 400 majority.  
Moose Mountain: Smith, 70 majority.  
Regina City: Bole, 304 majority.  
Rosthern: Rens, 210 majority.  
Swift Current: Scott, 227 majority.  
South Battleford: Simpson, 155 majority.  
Saskatoon City: McNabb, 106 majority.  
Felly: Johnston, 32 majority.  
Saskatoon County: Sutherland, 13 majority.  
Redberry: Langley, 113 majority.  
Saskatoon: McNutt, 200 majority.  
Weyburn: Mitchell, 57 majority.  
Toucheville: Atkinson, 55 majority.  
Moose Jaw County: Sheppard, 28 majority.  
Wadena: Pierce, 200 majority.  
Vonda: Totze, 227 majority.  
Yorkton: Garry, 227 majority.  
Lloydminster: Lisle, majority unknown.  
North Battleford: Finlayson, small majority.

**CONSERVATIVES**  
Last Mountain: Anderson, 246 majority.  
Milestone: Whitmore 84 majority.  
Moose Jaw City: Wellington 81 majority.  
Maple Creek: Wylie, 304 majority.  
Thousand Hills: Willway, 150 majority.  
Pipestone: Gillis, 383 majority.  
Prince Albert City: Bradshaw, 184 majority.  
Prince Albert County: Donaldson, 165 majority.  
North Qu'Appelle: McDonald, 115 majority.  
South Qu'Appelle: Haultain, 374 majority.  
Regina County: Tate, 341 majority.  
Souris: Riddell, 220 majority.  
Moose Mountain: Elliott, 85 majority.  
Kinistino: Johnson, 35 majority.

**LIBEL SUIT HEARD**  
Premier Scott appeared again before the magistrate on a charge of criminal libel, laid by Laird, Provincial Rights candidate. After some argument as to the proving of the publication, the premier was bound over to appear at the next sitting of the supreme court on a personal bail of \$200 and one surety of \$100. The case of Premier Scott vs. Provincial Organizer Macdonald also came on, and on behalf of the latter, Wood said he was prepared to prove the stock of the Saskatchewan Valley and Manitoba Land company was issued to Scott. The magistrate fixed bail in the same amount.

### LETHBRIDGE FURNISHES PLANT

By a vote of 117 to 31, the rate-payers of Lethbridge passed a by-law voting \$100,000 to purchase an electric light plant, erect a second stand pipe, install a new force main and install a septic tank. The vote was very small.

### Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until 10 o'clock on the 25th September for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, fourteen times a week each way, between Coleman and Highway Station, from the 1st of January next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tenders may be obtained at the Post Office of Coleman and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

D. A. BRUCE,  
Post Office Inspector's Office, Calgary.

### SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST

**HOMESEED REGULATIONS**  
"Any even-numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, according to Act 24, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.  
Application for entry must be made in person by the applicant at the Dominion Lands Agency or sub-agency for the district in which the land is situated. Entry by proxy, however, made at any Agency on certain conditions by the father, brother, sister, brother or sister of any intending homesteader.  
District Agent must be present to receive and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.  
If a homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty 800 acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homesteaded land. He may also do so by wife or mother, on certain conditions. Joint ownership in land will not meet this requirement.  
If a homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above provisions, he must be the sole owner of the land, or if himself the Agent for the district or of the Minister of the Interior."  
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

## FOR SALE

### Livery Business

A first-class livery business in the town of Blairmore for sale. Barn 30x75 feet may be purchased or rented. The business consists of:

- 2 single buggies
- 2 demerats
- 2 double buggies
- 2 sets single harness
- 5 sets double harness, 2 heavy, 3 light
- 1 saddle
- 1 stock saddle
- 1 heavy wagon
- 1 pair light bol sleighs
- 1 cutter
- 12,000 pounds oats
- robes, spreads, etc.
- 8 horses
- New barn, warm and light, 30x75, 2 stories
- Other articles too numerous to mention

**D. N. Drain**  
Blairmore, Alberta

Real Estate  
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If you want to buy, it will pay you to look over our list.  
If you want to sell, it will be to your advantage to list with us.  
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Messrs. Spry & Knowles have a stock of Wagons, Buggies, Demerats, and two wheel Rigs just arrived from the makers. The Rigs are well made and the prices are away below anything you ever before paid for the same article in this country. A full stock of hard wood for wagon and buggy repairs of all kinds will be kept in stock so that you will not have to send away for repairs.

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## "Pincher City News"

will have a circulation of 1200 weekly extending from Fernie to Macleod. THINK IT OVER. We prove this statement to advertisers.

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With these advantages, and many others, Lethbridge is destined to very shortly become one of the leading commercial centres of the west. We are at present offering choice building lots within the city limits, with sewer and water pipes laid and the adjoining block well built up, at very reasonable prices, ranging from

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Further Particulars will be Gladly Furnished  
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## BLAIRMORE

Mr. and Mrs. Dougal have returned from a visit to Spokane.  
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No matter what your dealer may tell you  
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## Coleman Laundry

Goods called for and returned to any part of town. Best of work. Careful attention given to all orders.

**C. L. Gooley** Proprietor

## BLAIRMORE

C. Bannerman of Lundbreck, spent Monday in town.  
**BORN.**—To Mr. and Mrs. Ingham, on the 14th, a son.

J. Dougal made a flying trip to Calgary this week.  
G. E. C. Martin is moving to Frank and will reside there in future.  
Mrs. Paden left town on Friday for Michel, where she will join her husband.

Thomas Fraser has nearly completed his new house. It is commodious and of original design.

Miss Ross arrived from Edmonton on Monday to take the duties as junior teacher in the school.

The little daughter of C. L. Remeau fell and cut her arm severely on a pane of glass. Dr. Malcolmson put several stitches in it and she is now doing well.

Mr. Silman and Leonard Sinclair have left town with their tools for Fernie, where they expect to have considerable work. Mrs. Silman and family will go to Fernie in a few days.

A. W. Bebee is very busy these days collecting poll tax. This is the first time Blairmore has been called upon for this tax, and quite a lot of explanations have been necessary.

Surveyors are laying out a spur line connecting the Rocky Mountain Cement Co.'s plant with the West Canadian Collieries new coal openings just south of town. The supply of coal for the plant will be mined here.

Mrs. Thos. Marshall with her family left on Thursday night for her old home in Scotland to visit her mother. Mr. Marshall accompanied his wife to Medicine Hat. He will go to Edmonton where he has been engaged as master mechanic.

Steve Glasgow had a narrow escape from serious injury as a result of his leaving away last Saturday. The tongue of the wagon fell, penetrating the ground. Steve went up high enough to repair the telephone wires, but hung to the ribbons, finally bringing the frightened animal to a standstill. Steve has a few bruises, but is otherwise unharmed.

## Coleman Livery

Every attention given to travellers and the local public.

**Reliable Horses, Good Rigs**  
**General Draying Business Done**  
**Wm. Haley, Proprietor**

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Spring Lamb  
Spring Chicken  
Fresh Turkey  
Empire Creamery Butter  
Fresh layed Eggs

**P. Burns & Co.** Limited

## PINCHER CITY

A large order of boots and shoes just in at Morgan's.

School started again on Monday with about 20 pupils.

Mrs. C. Vent has taken up her residence in Mr. Sharp's house.

Angus Robertson is on a business trip to Lethbridge and Magrath.

Mr. Brown of Kamloops, B. C., was a visitor at A. Robertson's last Friday.

Fred Horwood and John Johnston expect to leave shortly for a visit to the old country.

Fred Hare has accepted a position with the Gaar-Scott Co. of Calgary. Mr. Hare will remain in this district.

W. P. Laidlaw, the hardware man, is painting his store, which makes a splendid improvement and an excellent sign of progress.

T. Lebel is making some repairs to his ware house while the building is almost empty. Mr. Lebel is getting ready for a big fall business.

Revs. James and Finley conducted a joint service in the Methodist church here last Sunday. Rev. James will be in charge of the service next Sunday.

Quite a number of cattle are being shipped from here, Luden Bros., Pat Burns and E. L. Stauden being the principle shippers. The cattle are destined to Liverpool and Chicago.

Hurrah for Summerview, the fall wheat is nearly all cut and threshing has commenced at Mr. Barry's. This is fully a month ahead of last year. Who will knock the Summerview district now?

The well-drilling outfit are making good progress and at present writing are setting up the pump, which, when completed, will complete their job here. It is estimated that there is sufficient water here for all.

John Henderson is furnishing the Pincher City hotel here preparatory to applying for a license for the same. Notices are out showing the date of the sitting of the board of commissioners, which takes place at Frank on September 15th.

J. Lepant has just received his threshing outfit which he has taken over the river and will commence threshing this week. The outfit is a Gaar-Scott, sold by Berry & Co., and which was on exhibition at Calgary fair. From all appearance the outfit is a good one.

The new readers, of which so much discussion has taken place in the papers, have arrived, and are in use in the school. Reports from all over the province are most favorable regarding the readers, and indeed, they are a credit to the government. The books are well bound and printed on excellent paper in large type, the subjects are excellent studies and are a splendid improvement on the old books.

The Pincher Creek Echo says: "A most amusing case was held before Inspector Belcher at the police bar racks Wednesday afternoon, when the charge of assault was preferred against Chas. Vent, of Pincher City, by his wife, was tried. He pleaded guilty of choking his wife and throwing her on the floor. He was fined \$10 and costs or \$13.50 in all. The imposition of the fine seemed to loosen his flow of language and for ten minutes he gave a lecture, a marvelous story, of his views of conjugal love. We are sure that any person who heard this man's views on the trouble attracted to married life will be slow to take unto himself a wife. The corporal and constable seemed to be somewhat depressed when Mr. Vent seemed to give vent to his feelings."

## A WELL-DESERVED PROMOTION

Angus Robertson, manager of the Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, at Pincher City, was called to the head office of the company at Calgary last week, in connection with matters pertaining to the work for the coming season. Mr. Robertson has charge of the company's elevators at Brockton and Cowley as well as at Pincher City, and it was very gratifying to him to find that from a financial standpoint the elevators stood well up on the list and in a very satisfactory condition. In appreciation of Mr. Robertson's services during the years he has been with the company, they took advantage of the opportunity and made him acquainted with a plan they intend carrying out, entailing a number of changes in working conditions and in the staff, and particularly that which applied to himself, namely, that he will, for the future, be superintendent of all the elevators on the Crow's Nest line between Cowley and Medicine Hat and also those on the Cardston and Raymond branch of the A. R. & I. railway. It is also understood that among other things there is a substantial increase in salary accompanying the new position, and that for the present he will make Pincher City his headquarters. On behalf of his friends here we congratulate Mr. Robertson on his success and also the Alberta Pacific Elevator Co. on retaining the services of so capable a man to conduct their affairs in so important a district as the extreme southern part of Sunny Southern Alberta.

## NOTICE

All persons are hereby notified not to give any credit to Mrs. Charles S. Vent, of Pincher City, Alberta. If they do so, I will not be responsible for the same.

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